

GREAT ALTERATION SALE

Commencing Tuesday, September 8th, 1903

Our Store will be in the hands of the Carpenters and Painters on the 25th inst. and for the next two weeks we are going to make **GREAT REDUCTIONS** in all Departments to save moving

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TO DISCHARGE CEMENT HERE

Part of Port Patrick's Cargo Will Be Used at Jetty

The British Port Patrick has moved alongside the A. & C. wharf, where she is to discharge part of her cement cargo. In all 2500 casks, about 500 tons, will be unloaded. This cement is for the government and will be used at the jetty. Arrangements have been made to ship it down by rail. The balance of the cement cargo will be unloaded at Portland.

LOG RAFT STILL HERE.

The big log raft is still in the harbor and will not be towed to sea until weather conditions are more favorable. On Sunday the Leggett started out over the bar, but her captain changed his mind and returned, the start having been made too late. Yesterday A. B. Hammond went down to the lower harbor and inspected the monster boom.

If the expectations of Captain Johnson, of the Leggett, are realized, the big raft will be towed to sea on this afternoon's tide. When the start was made Sunday the guide rollers through which the cable runs were cut to pieces by the steel hawsers that are used to tow the boom. The rollers are made of soft iron, and were altogether too soft to withstand the strain. The Astoria Iron Works is now at work on new rollers, made of wrought iron, and they will be put in position today. A force of men were engaged all of last night in making this alteration.

It is quite possible that Captain Bailey, of the tug Tootoosh, will be asked to assist in towing the raft outside where she will be turned over to the Leggett.

THE LUMBER CARRIERS.

The British ship Blythwood cleared at the customs house yesterday for Cape Town, South Africa. She takes 60,487 feet of redwood lumber and 1,120,000 feet of Oregon pine. The cargo is 600 feet of lumber, which was loaded at Westport.

The schooner J. M. Coleman arrived down the river yesterday from Vancouver. She is bound for Redondo, Cal., and takes 58,213 feet of lumber and 321 pieces of piling.

The steamer Signal and schooner Susie Plummer departed Sunday for California, with lumber cargoes.

MARINE NOTES.

The Columbine departed Sunday for northern light stations. The Manzanita returned yesterday after an absence of several weeks in northern waters.

The ship Berlin and bark Morse have been towed up the river to Clifton, where they will go into wintering anchorage. The Morse has been re-encased by the Columbia River Packers' Association to go to Bristol Bay next spring, and negotiations are under way for charter of the Berlin by the Alaska Fishermen's Packing Company.

The steamer L. Roscoe departed yesterday for Florence with a cargo of merchandise for O. W. Hurd.

The steamer Elmora arrived yesterday from Tillamook with a cargo of farm produce.

MANY HURT BY HORSE

New York, Sept. 14.—At least 50 persons have been injured, one fatally, by a horse that was being broken into harness in Brooklyn. Women and children fled in terror, but some not quickly enough to escape the hoofs of the animal. The screams of the panic-stricken women and children and the shrieks of the men who were trying to subdue the horse attracted a large crowd and sent the police thither in the belief that a riot was in progress.

George Lane, the only person seriously hurt, had gathered three children in his arms and was running away from the maddened animal when he was knocked down. The children were slightly hurt, but Lane's skull was crushed and he will probably die. The horse, after dashing through several streets, collided with a trolley car and was knocked down.

WAS POORLY PACED.

Reedville, Mass., Sept. 14.—Major Delmon failed to beat Lou Dillon's performance of a mile in 2 minutes today, principally through poor pacing. He covered a mile in 2:00 3/4.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Will B. Young was up from Fort Stevens on Sunday.

Mrs. L. Golden of Grays river was in the city yesterday.

Rev. and Mrs. I. T. Osborn of Boise City, are in Astoria today.

Mrs. W. N. Meserve of the Grays river country, is in the city.

W. E. Fowler, of Warrenton, was in the city yesterday on business.

Mrs. J. McGuire and daughter came down from Portland yesterday.

Bert Griffith returned yesterday from an outing on Puget sound.

Richard E. Carruthers is in Astoria on a visit, from his home in Florida.

A. N. Smith, the well-known Portland commercial traveler, is in the city.

Wilson Graham and daughters Miss Gladys and Miss Maggie, of Ilwaco, are in the city.

Boys' school suits at Danziger's.

New crop dill pickles are now to be had at Johnson Bros.

RAIDED BY POLICE

New York, Sept. 14.—The police have raided a so-called Italian Young Men's Christian Association which has been making a display of seal, says a Times dispatch from Stamford, Conn. They found in the back room a full-fledged saloon. The place was conducted by an Italian preacher who recently attained notoriety by transferring his entire flock from the Baptist to the Congregational church because he was opposed to immersion.

Boys' suits \$2.50 at Danziger's.

WANT TAX REFUNDED.

Salt Lake, Sept. 14.—Demand has been made upon Internal Revenue Collector Callister, of this city, by representatives of the Marcus Daly estate of Montana for the refund of \$147,000 inheritance tax. It is claimed the estate is not subject to tax as it does not come within the provisions of the law. The matter will be referred to the commissioner at Washington.

Organ for sale cheap. Inquire at this office.

STATE FAIR OPENS.

Salem, September 14.—(Special)—The state fair opened this morning under most auspicious conditions. The weather was deal and a comparatively good crowd was in attendance.

Lone Oak track was in splendid condition and the four opening events of the week's racing program were very interesting.

Three-piece Boys' suits at Danziger's.

WHY SHOULD IT?

New York, Sept. 14.—The Cape Colony supreme court has decided, says a Times dispatch from Cape Town, that death while fighting against the king's troops does not invalidate the rebel's life insurance policy.

Immense line of Boys' 2 and 3-piece suits at Danziger's.

BASE BALL SCORES

AMERICAN.
At Boston—Boston 2; New York 4.
At Detroit—First game—Detroit 5; Chicago 1.
At Detroit—Second game—Detroit 3; Chicago 19.

PACIFIC NATIONAL.
At Spokane—Spokane 2; Salt Lake 8.
At Seattle—First game—Seattle 2; Butte 3.
At Seattle—Second game—Seattle 2; Butte 8.

NATIONAL.
At St. Louis—First game—St. Louis 2; New York 5.
At St. Louis—Second game—St. Louis 0; New York 5.
At Pittsburg—Pittsburg 2; Philadelphia 19.
At Cincinnati—Cincinnati 11; Boston 4.
At Chicago—Chicago 6; Brooklyn 2.

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His First Complaint

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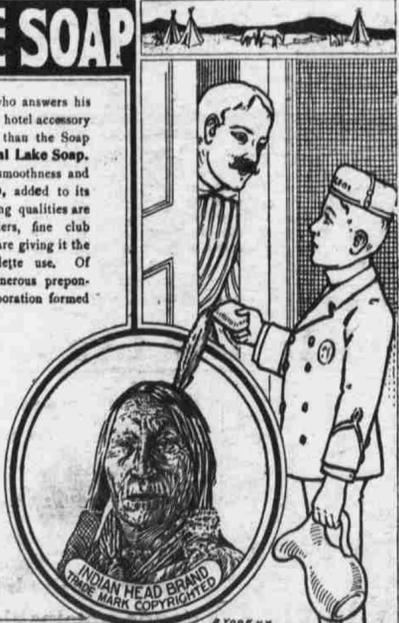
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